

WESTERLY SCHOOLHOUSE ENTERED HOKARA FOR ECZEMA

Thieves, Evidently Boys, Get But Thirty-Four Cents—Price of Coal Suddenly Lowered—Surprise Shower for Miss Wilcox—Neglectful Husband Appeals From Workhouse Sentence—Mr. and Mrs. William Franklin to Speak at People's Mission.

Thieves entered the West Broad street schoolhouse some time Tuesday evening or early Wednesday morning through a window in the rear of the building and went into the offices of Superintendent of Schools W. H. Perry and Principals R. Thompson, on the first floor of the building, where they forced open the rolltop desks of both offices and scattered the contents over the floor. Nearly every drawer in the desks was taken out and emptied.

Although there were several valuable papers in the desks, they were not taken, but from appearances were purposely thrown about the floor. Thirty-four cents was found in the desk of Superintendent Perry and after the papers and other things that had been thrown about had been collected the money was all that was found missing.

The theft, which appeared to be the work of boys, was made to Sheriff William H. Casey of Pawcatuck, who has started an investigation.

The price of coal dropped Wednesday, although it was expected to within a couple of weeks, and now the people of Westerly will have an opportunity to buy their fuel at more reasonable prices than they have been able to do for some months past. The price of the coal dealers were not planning to make a change, even though the retailers of New London and Providence announced that they would sell cheaper commencing the first of the month, but when they found that they were the cause of considerable unfavorable criticism and that one of the Westerly dealers was giving his customers the benefit of the new prices, the rest decided that it was good policy under the circumstances to do likewise, if they would hold their trade. The long retailer did not care to announce to the public that he had reduced the price of coal, inasmuch as his competitors had not done so, but in quick time it was known that he had done so and the others were soon in line.

Egg, nut, stove and Franklin coal that has been \$2 and \$2 a ton during the winter may now be purchased in town at the following prices: Egg \$7 a ton, nut \$7.25, stove \$7.25 and Franklin at \$7.50. The price of sea coal is \$5.75 a ton.

One of the Westerly dealers states that coal in general here is cheaper than it is in Providence or New London, although the charge for towing from Stonington to Westerly is considerably higher than it is elsewhere in this section, as the boats that come up the river cannot be loaded to full capacity.

Following the regular meeting of Westerly commandery, U. O. G. C., an excellent musical entertainment was given, the occasion being in honor of the birthdays of four of its members. During the evening dainty refreshments were served. The members who were observing their birthdays were remembered with presents.

Those who contributed to the musical programme were Misses Mildred and Margaret Palmer, who rendered vocal selections to the delight of their audience. Miss Palmer also rendered violin and soprano solos that were well received, and piano selections by Miss Mabel Jones, which brought forth hearty applause. There was a recitation by Master Everett Lawton, Jr., and by Brown and his trio of close harmony singing. The programme of vocal selections that made a tremendous hit with the audience.

Miss Gladys Wilcox of Margin street was tendered a surprise linen shower by members of the bridge club, with Miss Josephine being the guest of honor acting as hostess. Upon the bride's arrival she was greeted with a shower of daintily wrapped packages.

BLACKHEADS AND BOILS ON FACE

And Sides of Neck. Suffered Pain and Loss of Sleep. Started with Pimples. Face Disfigured. Cuticura Soap and Ointment Cured.

418 East 73d St., New York, N. Y.—"Cuticura Soap and Ointment cured me of blackheads and boils from which I suffered pain and loss of sleep for more than a year. The trouble first started with pimples which I thought would go away, but later I had my face and the sides of my neck full of blackheads and boils which disfigured my face. I was ashamed to go out of the house. I tried everything recommended, but without doing me any good until I started to use Cuticura Soap and Ointment. They relieved me of the pain and gave me a peaceful night. After using Cuticura Soap and Ointment for two weeks I was cured." (Signed) J. F. Pomajni, Mar. 24, 1912.

Baby Had Irritating Breaking Out.

46 W. 90th St., New York City.—"My baby was taken with an irritating breaking out on his face. As he always scratched, the sores would fester and finally oozed out pus which made more sores. This made him cross and ugly. I purchased the Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment. In three months his face was completely cured." (Signed) J. H. Johnson, Dec. 21, 1911.

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from the other members who had all arrived before the honor guest made her appearance. Bridge was played until refreshments were served late in the evening. The floral decorations were red tulips, with red roses as favors.

Mr. and Mrs. William Franklin of Old Orchard, Me., for 17 years missionaries in India, are to speak at the People's mission tomorrow evening. Mr. Franklin has spoken before Westerly audiences several times, but this time Mrs. Franklin's first appearance. Mrs. Franklin is a native of India. She was associated with Funduli Ram in her work in India for a number of years, assisting him in translating the New Testament into the Marathi language. They will make only a brief stay here in town, as they are on their way from New York to Boston.

Judge Oliver H. Williams presided at a special session of the Third District court in the town hall on Union street Wednesday afternoon, when he heard the case of the state chief of police, Thomas E. Brown, complainant, vs. William Durfee of Westerly, for non-support of his wife and three children, and abandonment of the wife and children. Attorney Harry B. Agard represented the state and Attorney Augustus T. L. Ledwith, Durfee, who was found guilty and was sentenced to six months in the state workhouse and house of correction at Cranston and to pay the costs of the court. The sentence was appealed to the superior court, which meets the third Monday in April.

The funeral of Mrs. Henry A. Bliss was held at the home of her mother, Mrs. Sarah E. Johnson, on Dayton street, Wednesday afternoon. Rev. John Dixon conducting the service. The bearers were Arthur Weeden, Howard Potter, Charles Chapman and C. Whitford. Burial was in the Greenwood cemetery at Kingston.

Local Laconics.

Mrs. Chase Barnsworth of Granite street is visiting relatives in New York.

Mrs. J. Herbert Macomber and daughter Lurana, of High street, are visiting relatives at Woonsocket.

Frank O'Dell of New Haven, who has been the guest of relatives in town for the past few days, has returned.

The Alice M. Wells property on Beach street, comprising a store, tenement and barn, has been bought by Harry A. Burdick.

Elliott Martin has returned to his school duties at Tarrytown, New York, after having been at the home of Park avenue during the Easter recess.

John E. England of Providence, state commissioner of the Boy Scouts, was in attendance at the after-school and evening meetings of the Westerly organization.

Mrs. L. Napoleon Eaton and daughter Barbara, of the city of New Jersey, have returned having been guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Randall of Colchester.

Louis Dotolo of Pierce street has purchased the Langworthy property at the corner of High and Pierce streets, comprising two building lots and a four tenement house.

Charles Hammond, publisher of Reads Topics, at Watch Hill during the summer season, has been spending the winter at the home of Mr. Hammond in Colchester.

Alexander Smith, superintendent of the People's Mission, who returned from a tour of the state for the purpose of his office is such that a second operation will be necessary before she is able to return.

Arguments in the case of the New York, New Haven and Hartford, which was heard in the superior court in New London, have been finished, and it was agreed that the lawyers should file their briefs. Judge Curtis is to decide the case.

Several groups of the Campfire Girls held their first hike since they have been organized, going to White Rock by the Wednesday forenoon and cooking their noonday meal out of doors on one of the farms, where they had been invited to spend the day. The members seemed to thoroughly enjoy the sport.

COLCHESTER

Mrs. Coleman's Funeral—Gift of Stained Glass Windows for Baptist Church.

The funeral of Mrs. Coleman, 75, was held Tuesday, Rev. B. D. Remington officiating. Burial was in Linwood cemetery.

Borough Interests.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred B. Willoughby of Cranbury, formerly of this place, were guests of friends in town Tuesday.

Dr. James T. Mitchell of Middletown was the guest of Dr. Howland Tuesday.

Mrs. Fred Getchell and daughter, of Westerly, are visiting Mrs. Getchell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Palmer on Hall's Hill avenue.

Mrs. Guy M. Bigelow, Henry and Nathaniel Bigelow and Dr. Nathaniel Foote were in Norwich early in the week.

Mrs. Ida Kelgwin has returned to Middletown where she is teaching after spending the vacation with her mother on South Main street.

Gus Kroll of Newark, N. J., is the

guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Kroll, on Upper Broadway.

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